

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

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CHAMBERS OF
TONIANNE J. BONGIOVANNI
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

U.S. COURTHOUSE
402 E. STATE STREET, RM 6052
TRENTON, NJ 08608

July 20, 2015

LETTER ORDER

Re: AstraZeneca AB, et al. v. Actavis Laboratories FL, Inc., et al.
Civil Action No. 14-7870 (MLC)

Dear Counsel:

Please be advised that the following schedule shall govern this matter:

ACTION	DEADLINE
Parties' Rule 26(a)(1) Initial Disclosures	August 6, 2015
Plaintiffs to provide Defendants with its Disclosure of Asserted Claims (L.Pat.R. 3.6(b))	September 28, 2015
Defendants to provide Plaintiffs with the written basis for their Invalidity Contentions along with any disclosures under L.Pat.R. 3.4 (L.Pat.R. 3.6(c)-(d))	October 5, 2015
Defendants to provide Plaintiffs with Non-Infringement Contentions and related document production (L.Pat.R. 3.6(e) & (f))	October 5, 2015
Parties' Submission of Consent Discovery Confidentiality Order (L.Pat.R. 2.2)	October 19, 2015
Plaintiffs' Service of Infringement Contentions and Related Document Production (L.Pat.R. 3.6(g) & (h))	November 17, 2015

ACTION	DEADLINE
Plaintiffs' Responses to Defendants' Invalidity Contentions (L.Pat.R. 3.6(i))	November 17, 2015
Telephone Status Conference with the Court to be Initiated by Plaintiffs	November 24, 2015 at 10:30 a.m.
Parties' Exchange of Proposed Terms for Construction (L.Pat.R. 4.1(a))	December 1, 2015
Parties' Exchange of Preliminary Claim Constructions and Extrinsic Evidence (L.Pat.R. 4.2(a) & (b))	December 22, 2015
Parties' Exchange of Identification of Intrinsic and Extrinsic Evidence to Oppose Opponent's Proposed Construction (L.Pat.R. 4.2(c))	January 5, 2016
Parties' Submission of Joint Claim Construction and Prehearing Statement (L.Pat.R. 4.3)	January 25, 2016
Parties Complete Fact Discovery Relating to Claim Construction (L.Pat.R. 4.4)	February 23, 2016
Parties' Opening <i>Markman</i> Submissions (L.Pat.R. 4.5(a))	March 7, 2016
Parties' Completion of Expert Discovery Related to Opening <i>Markman</i> Submissions (L.Pat.R. 4.5(b))	April 6, 2016
Parties' Responding <i>Markman</i> Submissions (L.Pat.R. 4.5(c))	May 9, 2016
Deadline to Propose Schedule for Claim Construction Hearing	May 23, 2016
Amendments to the Pleadings to Join Other Parties with Leave of Court Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 15	August 26, 2016
Parties Substantially Complete Document Production	October 28, 2016

The remaining schedule shall be set at a later date. The parties are reminded that correspondence that is emailed or faxed to Chambers does not need to be mailed to Chambers unless otherwise instructed by the Court. Further, the parties are reminded of their obligation to meet and confer in good faith regarding any discovery or case management issue before raising same informally with the Court.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

s/Tonianne J. Bongiovanni
TONIANNE J. BONGIOVANNI
United States Magistrate Judge